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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56 and §1.97-1.98, enclosed please find a completed Form PTO-1449 citing reference submitted for consideration by the Examiner during examination of the above-referenced patent application.

References listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 were cited in the PCT Search report, therefore, copies are not enclosed.

Applicants request consideration of these references by the Examiner in regard to the present application, and that the Examiner initial and return the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

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